MRS. WILCOX OUT OF PATIENCE. She Wants Her Claim to the Author-

ship of "Solitude" Settled.

The controversy as to the authorship of

the poem "Laugh and the world laughs

with you," is likely to assume a more serious aspect. It is pretty well known

that Mrs. Ella Wheeler-Wilcox of Michigan

and Colonel Joyce claim to have written

the poem, Mrs. Wheeler Wilcox dating the time of the writing back in 1883. She has become very much dis-turbed in mind over Colonel Joyce's claim

of priority and has written to Lawyer Campbell Carrington to take legal means to settle the dispute. The attorney is at loss as to what manner he shall proceed as Mrs. Wilcox admits she has neither

sustained loss nor injury, but wants vindi-cation and Colonel Joyce's talk stopped. How a court can do that the lawyer nor

THE MEXICAN EDITORS. Their Forthcoming Visit to the National

Capital. A dispatch was received at Willard's

Hotel to-day stating that the party of

Mexican editors, who are making a tour

of the United States, will arrive in this

The newspaper fraternity of Washing-ton will aid in entertaining the visitors. During the last week of July the Mary-land Editorial Association will visit this

Foreign Topics in Brief.

London, July 13,-Russian troops air arge numbers are moving toward Sarakhs

The German Consul at Zanzibar has been recalled. The English residents of Zanzibar are in perfect accord with the Sultan, but the Germans throughout the

Harvesting in the vicinity of Berlin is nearly completed. Yesterday the soldiers

quartered in and about the city observed their usual custom of assisting them to gather the crops, and the striking masons

The Homeopathic Free Dispensary.

President Lenman of the Homeopathi Free Dispensary, in his report to the Com-missioners for the last fiscal year, reports

132 white and 388 colored patients were treated at the Central Free Dispensary and 55 white at 111 colored at the Homeo-

pathic Dispensary. There was \$538,87 ex-

A Prize Fight Interrupted.

Daniel O'Brien and a man named Graves had a prize-fight of two rounds on Analoston Island yesterday. Both wore fighting costumes. Graves was knocked out in two rounds. The police noticed an

unusual number of sports going over the Aqueduct Bridge and followed them over to investigate the cause of the gathering. They saw the police and escaped across the

DISTRICT GOVERNMENT NEWS.

CONTRACT AWARDED.—The contract for furnishing blue stone has been awarded to

A RESIGNATION AND AN APPOINTMENT.

Physician to the poor, George Lee, a home-opathist, has resigned and Dr. Edgar Jan-ney has been appointed to succeed him. The change will take effect August 31.

The change will take elect August and the Condense Walls,—The Building Inspector has notified Thomas E. Waggaman, agent, that the walls of 1102 and 1104 Sixth street southwest, are builted

and will have to come down in five day

BUILDING PERMITS, -Permits to build have been granted to John Stonohan, to

have been granted to John Stonehan, to creet a store and dwelling corner Fourth and N streets, to cost \$4,500. Thos, Jarvis, five dwellings corner of Tenth and G streets, \$4,500. Duvall & Marr, seven dwellings on Massachusetts avenue, between Sixth and Seventh streets, \$9,800; W. R. Mendenhall, erect a dwelling at 1911 Seventeenth street, \$1,600; George Ryneal, trustee, erect a brick church on Eighth

trustee, creet a brick church on Eighth street extended, \$5,800.

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afternoon at Glymont.

line into Virginia.

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JOS. C. McKIBBIN, Telephone Call 467-2.

CUT PRICES -111-

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JULY BARGAINS

As before stated, we are determined to make the month of JULY decidedly A BARGAIN MONTH, and from this time on shall offer such values and make such reductions as we deem necessary to cause the entire disposal of our particularly attractive stock of this season's goods.

Union Linen Lawns.

We have had most re markable success with three qualities of Union Linen Lawns, namely, 121/2, 15 and 17c. Having almost entirely sold out the 121/2c quality, as a special incentive to purchase we have marked down the 15 and 17c qualities to 121/2c per yard, making, undoubtedly, the very best collection of 121/2 C Lawns ever placed on sale.

50 pieces of Colored Ground Pacific Lawns (32-inch), in pink, ecru, light bine, with handsome colored figures and designs; reduced, to close, from 123c to 10c per yd.

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Surplus stock reductions have been made as follows:

29-inch White Egyptian Lace Flouncings, 29 inches of embroidered work and 9 inches of

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GOVERNMENT GOSSIP.

OFFICIAL AND UNOFFICIAL IN AND ABOUT THE DEPARTMENTS.

Mrs. Bayard's Critical Hiness-Treasury Premotions-The Decision in the Dol-phin Case-Supply Contracts Awarded The Presidential Party Still at Woodment-Miscellaneous Mention.

Mrs. Bayard's Illness. A dispatch from Secretary Bayard this afternoon states that Mrs. Bayard scondition is no worse to-day than yesterday. The Secretary will not leave her while in her present alarming condition.

Treasury Promotions.

The following promotions have been made in the Treasury; E. G. Pattee of Maine, from class 3 to class 4 office of Life-Saving Service; Mrs. Agnes C. Pepper of Delaware, from \$900 to \$1,000 class, Bureau of Statistics.

Bayard.

The President's Return.

The President's Return.

The President's Secretaries Whitney and Lamar. Postmaster-General Vilas and Colonel Lamont are not expected back from West Virginia before Wednesday morning. The comfortable weather is the occasion of the prolonged stay of the The Time Ball.

The time ball on the Navy Department failed to drop to-day at noon, doubtless owing to the disturbances caused by the cutting of the wires on the Treasury Department and other buildings. It was held ten minutes and lowered slowly, which will always be done hereafter in case of failure to work.

The Cattle Blockade. Inspector Armstrong, who was directed to investigate and if possible adjust the difficulties of the cattle blockade in the Indian Territory, telegraphs to Secretary Lamar to-day that all differences have been settled and cattle from Texas are now moving Northward, the blockade being saised

The Indian Scare Subsiding. The War Department has received advices indicating that the Cheyenne troubles are likely to be peaceably adjusted. The dispatches from all directions are said to indicate that the alarming nature of the Indicate that the alarming nature of the Indian troubles have subsided. No steps have yet been taken to prevent the Canadian Indians under Big Bear's son from crossing the border. The matter will be referred to the State Department if action is thought necessary.

is thought necessary. Supply Contracts Awarded. The Commissioner of Public Building and Grounds has awarded contracts for and Grounds has awarded contracts for general supplies for the fiscal year to the following Washington business men: Florists' supplies, Louis Schmid & Sons; fuel, J. Maury Dove: soil, G. W. Moss, 1,500 cubic yards; W. H. Groat, 2,400; J. H. Murphy, 1,700; agricultural implements, hardware, grass seed, John A. Baker; forage, R. C. Hewitt; manure, James O'Day; sand, George Crevelling; paints, oils, glass, George Ryneal, jr.; ice, Independent Ice Company; stationery, J. Loring Whittington; flower-pots, W. H. Ernest; terra cotta pipe, Thomas Somerville & Sons; gravel, S. S. Richardson, 2,000 yards; J. H. Murphy, 9,300; Thomas O'Brien, 1,000; telegraphsupplies, National Electric Company.

Electric Company. The New Assistant Postmaster-General. The New Assistant Postmaster-General.
Mr. George Baber, in a Washington letter of the 8th instant to the Louisville,
Ky.. Commercial, says of Hon. A. E.
Stevenson, the new First Assistant Postmaster-General: "The appointment of
Hon. A. E. Stevenson of Bloomington,
Ill., to the position of First Assistant Postmaster-General, succeeding Hon, Malcolm Hay of Pennsylvania, will be welcomed warmly among many people in Ken-tucky. Mr. Stevenson is a relative of Hon, James A. McKenzie, was born in Chris-James A. McKenzie, was born in Christian County, Ky., and was educated at Centre College, where your correspondent had the pleasure of being among his classmates for two years. He married Miss Lettie, a noble daughter of the late Lewis W. Green, D. D., a former president of Centre College, and his old friends are to be found in various walks of life throughout the State."

Minor and Personal. A new manual of instructions for the

guidance of postoffice inspectors is being Assistant Secretary Fairchild is acting as Secretary of the Treasury in the absence of Mr. Manning.

Edmond Jones Lincoln of North Caro lina has been appointed chief of a division in the Customs Bureau.

Isaac J. Post, formerly of the Treasury Department, died at Montrose, Pa., last vening in his 48th year. Captain Frederick F. Whitehead, com-

missary, is ordered from Denver to Cress field, Kan., for duty as depot commis ary. Minister Foster is expected to return

from Spain at once, having been unsue-cessful in his negotiations for another re-ciprocity treaty.

First Lieutenant Edward E. Gayle, Second Artillery, has been granted four months leave from August 28, on being relieved at West Point. Hon. Malcolm Hay ex-First Assistant Postmaster-General, has left Washington for his home in Pittsburg, Pa. He will shortly go to Colorado.

The Governor of Kansas has protested to Secretary Lamar against the proposed transfer of the Apache Indians from Ari-zona to No Man's Land.

Mr. Richard Nevins is the latest addition to the long list of persons who have been selected, according to rumor, for ap-pointment as Public Printer. It is said that some members of the Cab net favor stopping the payment of sala-ries during sick leaves and paying the

oney thus saved for extra work after of-Colonel Sharp, chief of postoffice in-spectors, to-day received information that the postmaster at Ord, Neb., is short \$400. is recommended to see to his im

mediate removal. Major Henry C. Corbin, for several years on duty in this city, and more recently, in the division of the Missouri, has been ordered to report to General Miles for duty in the field.

The contract for granite for the stair-ways of the west and centre wings of the State, War and Navy Department build-ing has been awarded to the Capectun Granite Company at \$34,737. Commodore Winfield Scott Schley, chief

of the Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting, has returned to his duties from Frederick, where he went last week. He has nearly recovered from his recent illness, Secretary Endicott has gone to New York to attend the meeting to-day of the board appointed to examine the means of defense for this country, and to report re-commendations for additional fortifica-

Senor Becerra has received information from the Columbian Government of the explosion of a portion of the rebel fleet and the killing or wounding of nearly all the rebel officers. News of the final subection of the rebels is expected.

The Postmaster-General to-day appointed seventy-seven postmasters of the lourth class. Among them were C. F. Myers, at McKinstry's Mills, Md.; and the following in Virginia: Emazetha Turman, Turman, Mrs. S. E. Hylton, Pax, and N. C. Turner, Diascond. Turner, Diascond.

Work on the repairs of the Hartford was begun July 5 at the Marc Island Navy Yard. July 3 a race took place there be-

OFF FOR FORT RENO.

tween boats from the Hartford and the receiving ship Independence. The Hartford crew won after a close contest over a Gen. Sheridan Leaves Chleago for Indian fle course in 20:244. Territory-Senators Investigating.

W. H. Bigelow. Superintendent of the New England Railway Mail service, is in the city to resent the charges made by Hon. Frank Jones, Congressman Sulto-way and others that the Railway Mail Service has been manipulated in the in-terest of the Republican party. Cmcaoo, July 13 .- At 10 o'clock last night Lieutenant-General Phil H. Sheri dan, General N. A. Miles, and Colonel M. V. Sheridan started for Fort Reno, in the Indian Territory, to settle, if possible, the Indian troubles. General Miles arrived Attorney-General Garland has decided that there was no valid contract between the United States and John Roach for the building of the Polphin and that the Secretary of the Navy cannot accept the vessel. He also says the Government can recover the large sums of money advanced on account of the Polphin.

The New York Heads, was that here vestorday to Join General Sheridan here yesterday to join General Sheridan. The latter, in speaking about the trouble, said that he could not as yet predict what would be the outcome or what course would be pursued by the Government, except that he had been directed to settle the difficulty by the President. He received no word, he said, from the West in regard to any new attack, nor had any order been given for the Indians to lay down their arms. on account of the Polphin.

The New York Herald says that;
"Though the usual public concert was given on the White House lawn Saturday afternoon, there was no inmate of the White House nor any of the family of a member of the Cabinet present. This was in consequence of the illness or Mrs. Bayard."

order been given for the Indians to lay down their arms.

Senator James K. Jones of Arkansas arrived at the Grand Pacific Hotel yesterday. He will be joined by Senators Harrison of Indiana and Morgan of Alabama to-day, and the trio, constituting a Subcommittee on Indian Affairs, will journey West to investigate the condition of the Crow Creek and Pine Tree reservations in Dakom, concerning which numerous com-Dakota, concerning which numerous com-plaints have been made. Schator Ingalls of Kansas, the fourth member of the com-

Secretary Lamar has sent a telegram to the Stock Association of Kansas City, Mo., declaring the cattle trails through the Indian Territory open to all droves not affected with fever. Inspector Armstrong, at the Cheyenne and Arapaloe agency, was directed by the Secretary to take steps to at once open the trails to all cattle not infected.

The record of the court-markiel held on mittee, will join the party at Topeka. FORT LEAVENWORTH, KAN., July 13.— Twelve companies under Lieutenant-Colonel Anderson, from the Department of the Platte, have arrived at Wallace, en route to Crossfield, the terminus of the Southern Kansas Railroad, to re-enforce The record of the court-martial held on the Ossipee for the trial of Lieutenant-Commander William H. Webb on a charge of drunkenness while on duty on the Alert, has been received at the Navy Department. Lieutenant Commander Webb was found guilty and sentenced to be suspended and retain his present number for two years. Southern Kansas Railroad, to re-enforce the troops airendy there. Six companies of the Sixth Infantry at Fort Douglas are also ordered to be held in readiness to go to Crossileld under Lieutenant Osborne. The united forces at the last mamed point will be under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Anderson. be suspended and retain his present number for two years.

Zachariah J. Halpin of New York State has been appointed postal note agent at New York city. The place pays \$2,500 a year. The appointment was made by the Postmaster-General at the suggestion of the President, and was not given out in the regular course of appointments, whether by accident or by design is not known: It was at first thought that the Halpin who received the appointment was a member of the Halpine (Miles O'Reilly) family of New York. But such is not the ease.

General Grant Rega ins His Voice.

Mr. McGraeson, N. Y., July 13.—About 6 o'clock last evening the General came upon the plazza, and when the family returned to the cottage from dinner at the hotel they found him out of doors. It was at this time that a surprise occurred. Turning toward Mrs. Sartoris, General Grant said in almost clear tones: "Well, Nellie, did you have a good sermon today?" The unusually clear utterance was a pleasing surprise, and when between 8 day?" The unusually clear utterance was a pleasing surprise, and when between 8 and 9 o'clock the General rose to go to his room for the night he said "Good night" in a voice, Dr. Newman said, as clear and strong as that in which the latter described the occurrence.

But there has not been a full recovery to the condition of Wednesday last, and it will be wonderful if he becomes so well again. He has remained in his room this morning.

MORE PAY WANTED.

One Thousand Men at the National Tube Works Leave. PITTSEURG, PA., July 13 .- One thouand men employed in the lapweld department of the National Tube Works at McKeesport quit work this afternoon and demand an increase of ten per cent, in wages. It is understood that several large orders are on the books, which, if delayed beyond a specified time, will entail a heavy loss to the company. The "butt" boys are still on a strike at the same mill.

The Michigan Labor Troubles. East Saginaw, Mich., July 13,-Militia companies in Flint, Jackson and Detroi are under orders to march for this point in case of trouble. Warrants are said to be out for Representative Earry's arrest for inciting a riot. This morning one hundred I inkerton police came here from Chicago and were sworn in as special po-lice. They carry repeating Winchester re-volvers and clubs. Great excitement pre-

city the latter part of the week and remain several days, seeing the sights in the city and visiting places of interest in the vicinity. Their programme will include a call upon the President, a tour of the Departments, Capitol, etc., a trip to Mount Vernon, and, if practicable, the ascent of the Mounment. Dernorr, Mich., July 13.—A Bay City special to the News says the ten-hour planing-mills that shut down Saturday were sterted up this morning and not in-terfered with. The streets are crowded with unemployed men. A body, headed by a band, started at 10 a. m., on a march to the south end to serenade the mills running on the ten-hour plan.

Welcome to Riel's Conquerors.

Winnipeo, July 13.—Main street already presents an enchanted appearance, with presents an enchanced appearance, with arches and evergreens extending the en-tire length of that thoroughfare, and when flags and mottoes have been added it will look grand. The torollight procession and illumination of the city promises to be the most imposing demonstration ever seen in Winnipeg. The troops are ex-pected to-morrow, but the civic holiday review of the entire force and formal rereview of the entire force and formal re-ception of volunteers and illumination will take place the following day. Many yisitors are expected from St. Paul and Minneapolis to witness the return of the bronzed veterans from the front.

A Verdict Against John C. New. A Verdict Against John C. New.

Inflanapolis, July 13.—The jury in the case of the surviving members of the Indiana Banking Company against Hon. John C. New and J. C. Wright have rendered a verdict. The plaintiffs alleged that Messrs. New and Wright, while respectively president and vice-president of the old First National Bank, sold to the Indiana Banking Company in 1878 a controlling interest in the First National, and that in making the sale they misrepresented the condition of the bank. They, therefore, demanded \$550,000 damages, The jury returned a verdict giving the plainjury returned a verdiet giving the plain-tiffs judgment for \$154,000. The case will be appealed to the higher courts.

Bottle Blowers in Council. Prittshuro, Pa. July 13.—The anumal convention of green bottle blowers met in this city this morning.

CITY HALL NOTES.

Ban-Room Licenses.—The application of George Enner for a bar-room license has been disapproved by the Commission-

Charles Thompson, jr., as solicitor for Charles C. Combs, has filed a petition in equity for divorce from his wife, Hattie F. Combs, nee Brooks, on the ground of

Mr. Edward Droop, by his solicitor, Mr. A. C. Bradley, has filed a bill in equity against Henrietta C. Metzerott and other speking a settlement of the partnership of the firm of W. Metzerott & Co. MISCELLANEOUS. - The Commissioner have received a complaint about a pond of stagnant water just south of the Capitol grounds.— The Commissioners have or-

dered a water-main on First street south-west from Canal to D streets. ENLARGING A HOTEL.—Mr. Albert Glea-son, owner of the hotel corner of New York avenue and Fourteenth street has taken out a permit to build a forty-five by sixty feet addition to the building. The

street extended, \$5,800.

A Proposed East Washington Fire Company.—District Commissioner Edmonds states that as soon as the Commissioners can secure 900 fest of ground in addition to the lot they already own on Eighth street, near Pennsylvania avenue southeast, they will establish a fire company in East Washington. Chief Engineer Cronin and the citizens of East Washington have advocated this for two years. They claim that nearly half of the city and more than half the county is without one engine-house, In this District is included the Insane Asyluta, workhouse, Jall, several schoolhouses. Provingrovement will cost \$20,000, Upon the recommendation of the examining committee the following were to-day admitted to the District barr Messrs, R. H. Read, H. S. Bedin, W. C. Hooker, A. N. Canfield, A. P. Abert, Alfred B. Lind, John H. Adriaans, Harry L. Harrold, Thomas G. Stewart, Everett P. York, Thomas Walker, T. W. Sargent, J. H. Pierce, H. L. Reynolds, Jr., F. Dell, Smith and John T. Downs, Marriage Regress Laye been issued as house, jall, several schoolhouses. Provi-dence Hospital and other large institu-

F. Dell. Smith and John T. Downs.

Marriage licenses have been issued as follows: M. F. White of this city and Mary F. Pumphrey. Prince George's County. Md.: Harry H. MacLellan and Nellie M. James, both of Baltimore, Md.: Richard Callighan and Margaret McCarthy; Charles Sparks of Richmond County, Va., and Eliza V. Martin of this city; Harry L. Walford and Lizzie Allen, both of Alexandria, Va.; Thomas J. Wrenn and Clara R. Wise. -Ex Mayor Rand of Minneapolis, with his wife and two daughters and four other persons, were drowned yesterlay in Min-netonka Lake. This announcement is sail news in Washington, where the family were well known, ex-Mayor Rand being a brother-in-law of Dr. Presbrey of this city. -Mr. Frank W. Heyester of this city rescued two men from drowning yesterday Wrenn and Clara R, Wise,

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M. G. SECKENDORFE. occupied its night desk, managed its weekly and semi-weekly editions, and for a long time was exchange editor and "handy man." He came to this city in 1883, and has since been at the head of the Tribune's Washington bureau.

Tribune's Washington bureau.

Mr. Seckendorff is a gentleman of broad education and culture. He writes the English idiom pointedly and trenchantly. He has a slight German accent, but it is not strong enough to prevent his being fully understood. He is an excellent conversationalist. He is also a very handsome man. He has the blue eyes, light hair and blonde complexion that are characteristics of his race. His is at once some man. He has the bulle eyes, light hair and blonde complexion that are characteristics of his race. His is at once both a very strong and very pleasing face. He is quiet in demeanor, exceedingly popular with all who know him and a genuine ornament to the profession of which he is such an industrious and acwhich he is such an industrious and a complished member. Mr. Seekendorif frequently has occasion to use the interesting information that we print in these columns, and never falls, however, to give this paper the proper credit. He is also one of the newsiest and most reliable pur-

ington correspondents.

Howard Cooper Lynched.

Baltimore, July 13.—At 1 o'clock this morning the jall at Towson, seven miles north of this city, was surrounded by an immense crowd of armed men, who demanded of Sheriff Knight the surrender of Howard Cooper, the negro who on April 2 brutally outraged Miss Katie Gray, the seventeen-year-old daughter of a highly respectable farmer, living in Baltimore county. Mr. Knight refused and prepared to defend his prisoner, but the mob quietly overpowered him and took the trembling negro to a convenient tree and hanged him. Cooper was convicted and sentenced to be hanged on the 31st instant. The case was appealed, but the Court of Appeals affirmed the decision of the court below. His lawyers were preparing to carry the case to the United States Supreme Court. This precipitated the lynching, which was first attempted when Cooper was captured after his assault on Miss Gray.

The body was viewed by crowds of men, women and children all this morning, all rejoicing over the death of the brutal fiend. At 9:15 the body was cut down. Howard Cooper Lynched.

Al 9:15 the body was cut down. The Cleveland Strikers Quiet. CLEVELAND, OHIO, July 13.—The strikers are quiet. No attempt to start the mills this morning, as was expected, though the strikers were on hand to prevent it.

An effort will be made to start the plate Flint Glass Workers. PHILADRIPHIA, July 13.—The annual session of the American Flint Glass Workers convened at 10:30 o'clock this morning in Common Council Chamber.

PROMINENT HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Hon, Ground W. Gridnes of Mansfield, Ohio, is at the Riggs House. In A. Fallits and A. W. Calloway of New York are at the National. A. T. Duncas and R. A. Dunn of Pitisburg.
Pa., are at the Metropolitan.
Enwann J. Steinen and H. W. Seeby of
New York are at the Riggs House.
Nonton Ch. E. Albany; J. Webb, Jr., and
H. H. Morgai of New York are at Williard's.
C. E. Maxy ti, of Chicago and Bayard T.
Putham of Ne. port, R. L., are at Williard's.
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Hon. H. H. Riddlerenenn of Virginia is at the Metropolitan.

HENRY Sent jour of Winehester, Va., and B. W. Perkins of Kansas are at the National. Hos. H. B. Lovivo and Colonel A. A. Hag-gett of Massachusetts are at the Riggs House. R. C. Mansuall of Portsmouth, Va., and toseph Bond of Buffalo, N. Y., are at the

HON. WILLIAM H. BROWLOW of Malne, superintendent New Engiand Railway Mail Service; William N. Hobart, Cincinnati; Hon. John T. Heurd, Missouri; William W. Olison, U. S. A.; J. R. Murdock, West Virginia, and Hon. B. B. Smalley, Vermont, are at the Ebblit.

Justice James will leave here in a few days or New England and Newfoundland.

S. A. Mead of this city was registered at the Bugham House, Philadelphia, yesterday, and II. C. Clifton at the La Payette, "Judge" Belen A. Lockwood is lecturing in Utah, She arrived in Salt Lake on the 6th inst., and was welcomed by a number of rep-recentiative ladies—whether of the mormon or gentile persuasion is not stated.

Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Kallo Davis of Washington and Mr. Charles E. Telby the well-known leweler of M street. They will be married from the residence of the young

IRISHMEN EXCITED.

A Welsh Soldler Bayonets a Civilian and a Row Ensues.

Duning, July 13.—During a drunken row at Waterford last night between some civilians and a number of soldlers belongng to a Welsh regiment stationed there a civilian was bayoneted to death. The news spread rapidly, and soon a large crowd of citizens assembled at the barracks and demanded satisfaction. The taunts of the soldiery in return for their demands for vengeance so exasperated the people

for vengeance so exasperated the people that they made a rush for the barracka smashing the windows and badly wreeking the buildings. The regiment was dislodged and pelted freely with stones by the now thoroughly enraged mob.

This morning the obnoxious regiment was ordered to another garrison and while on the march to the rail way station, a mob followed it, hooting and stoning his members until they boarded the train. The soldiery, although frequently hit, refrained from any reprisals. The Parnellite members of Parliament will depend an inquiry into the causes which mand an inquiry into the causes which led to the killing of the citizen. The populace allege that it was nothing less than a brutal and wanton murder.

Brown's Crew Rowing Better.

Boston, Mass., July 13.—A Warestor special to the Herald says that the Brown University crew is rowing in much better form than a week ago, and is rapidly displacing the Bowdoins as the favorite in Thursday's race. The four-oared gig race for the same day has been abandoned.

AT THE SUMMER RESORTS. -Mr. Louis G. Marini is as the Aquidneck.

-Miss R. C. Levy is at the Ashland Hotel, Atlantic City. Atlantic City.

—Mrs. Edward Stanton and family of this city are at Bar Harbor.

—Mrs. General Joseph E. Johnston is at the Brighton, Atlantic City. Brighton, Atlantic City.

—Major Phineas P. Barnard, U. S. A., is at Richfield Springs, New York.

—General and Mrs. James Oaks and Misa Oaks are at Bedford Springs, Pa.

—W. Scott Smith and C. P. Smith of Washington are at Pigeon Cove, Mass.

—Mrs. F. D. Johnson and Miss McLeilan are at Jackson, in the White Mountains.

—J. W. Albaugh and family are at their Cedar avenue cottage, Long Branch.

—Miss K. Van Rennselaer Berry is at the

-Miss K. Van Rennselaer Berry is at the Davenpert House, Richfield Springs. —E. H. Hosmer and Mrs. Hosmer are among late arrivals at the Hotel Kaaterskill. -Justice Cox left this morning for Narra-gansett Pier-his customary summering place, -Dr. and Mrs. W. K. Mehaffey are at the Bay View House, Laconia, White Mountains, -Mrs. A. T. Stewart is at Saratoga, and will appear in society more than usual this summer. -Ex-Secretary and Mrs. Hamilton Fish are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Sydney Webster, at Newport.

-Mr, and Mrs. I. Newton Baker of this city are at the Mountain View House, North Wood-stock, N. H. stock, N. H.

- Rear-Admiral John W. Livingston and family are at the United States Hotel, Saratoga, from New York.

- Medical Inspector David Kindleberger, U. S. N., and Mrs. Kindleberger are at Commicut Island for the summer.

- Bear-Admiral Charles Steedman and Mrs.
Thomas S. Mercer of this city are at the Dayenport, Richfield Springs.

- Mrs. Barnes, widow of the late surgeon, General Joseph K. Barnes, is at the McSparren House, Narragansett Pier. -Captain John Chester White, U. S. A., and Mrs. C. M. White are at the Goodnow House, Laconia, in the White Mountains.

- Mrs. Stephen J. Field, wife of Justice Field of the Supreme Court, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Andrew McCreary, at Nowport, - Civil Engineer B. E. Chandler, U. S. N., has gone from his home by the sea at New London to Bethlebem, in the White Mountains. -Parke Goodwin of New York, Bishop uane of Albany and President Ellot of Har-ard are at North East Harbor, Maine. —Colonel Edward B. Williston, Third Artificry, and Mrs. Williston are at the Maplewood Hotel, Beihlehem, in the White Mountains. -Representative Oscar Ray of Lancaster, N. H., is trying to keep cool at the Thorn Mountain House, in the White Mountains.

-Ex-Senator Zulee of Alabama and family are at Sharon Springs; also Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dexter and the Misses Dexter of this General and Mrs. Rufus Saxton and Mrs. Saxton's mother have gone from Lenisville to Saratoga, to remain until the middle of next

—Colonel Edwin E. Judd, U. S. A. and First Lieutenant Francis W. Mansfield, Eleventh Infantry, are at the McSparren House, Narragansett Pler.

 Miss Helen Calhoun of this city, daughter of Rear-Admiral Calhoun, is visiting her brother, Passed Assistant Paymaster Samuel R. Calhoun, at Newport. -Mr. Frank K. Pendleton, the son of the new Minister to Germany, and his wife, no Marie, are spending their honeymoon in the Catskill Mountains, N. Y.

-Rear-Admiral and Mrs. Christopher Ray-mond Perry Rodgers will stay at Coney Island for a month before going to Cobourg, Can., for the rest of the heated term.

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—First Lieutenant Quiney O'M. Gillmore, Eighth Cavalry, will be relieved as post-quartermaster at West Point next month and ordered to his regiment. He is now in the Catskill Mountains with his family.

—Lieutenant-Commander and Mrs. John McGowan are at the Prospect House, Bethlehem, White Monntains. Mr. McGowan, who was recently on duty at the Philadelphia naval rendezyous, has leave until October.

—Caudain Francis M. Ronge, U. S. N. School. -Captain Francis M. Bunce, U. S. N., who is a member of the court to try Paymaster-General Smith, has redoined his family at Holderness, in the White Mountains, while waiting the reassembling of the court next Monday.

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—Professor John W. Chickering of Kendall Green and Mrs. Chickering and Misses Fannie and Louise Chickering, are at Waterville, in the White Moantains. Mr. and Mrs. Eliphaist Whittlessy, and Misses Pauline and Junic are at the same place, Elliott's Hotel.

—Mrs. W. T. Sherman, Miss Sherman and Miss Rachel arrived at Lake Minnetonka, Minn., last Wednesday from St. Lonis, and are the guests there of Colonel Tourtellotte, formerly of General Sherman's staff. General Sherman is expected to arrive there to-day.

—Mrs. Edward B. Barry, whe of Lleutemant Barry, U. S. N., and daughter of Rear-Admiral John M. B. Chitz, is spending the summer at Asbury Park, N. J., while her husband is on the practice critise of the Constellation. Admiral John M. B. Chitz, is spending the summer there.

—Among the guests at Piney Point, Md., are the following well-known people: Hon. W. M. Gwin, California: Hon. H. D. Monsey, Missispit Hon. C. M. Shelley, Alabama: Hon. John G. Thompson, Ohio, Hon, Benjamin Le Fevre, Chio, and the following from Washington: Thomas Cropley and family, H. O. Towles and wife, Mrs. Upperman, Mrs. Chip; and two children, Miss Chipp, John W. Corson, wife and child; G. Thomas Noves, John Keyworth, T. B. Moody, General L. M. Melley, John E. Herrell and family, R. A. Klug and family, General A. D. Hazon, Third Assistant Postmaster-General, wife and daughter, W. H. Burnett, J. Noves, Miss H. Townley, Miss B. Townley, John Paul Jones, Dr. Vorbes, James Vorbers and Frank M. Easterman.

—Among the Washingtonians at Orkney Smines, Va. are Rey, John S. Lindsay and

Dr. Vorhes, James Vorhers and Frank M. Rassman.

—Among the Washingtonians at Orkney Springs, Va., are Rev. John S. Lindsay and family, Win. F. Mattingly, A. B. Clark, Richard Gatewood, Bank Inspector Reysey, J. C. Heald, C. W. Simpson, H. Beall and family, Paymaster Ball, E. S. N.; the Misses Worthington, daughters of Charles Worthington, Mrs. C. H. Sherman, Major Charles F. Myar, Mrs. Win. J. Stone and Miss Famile Barber, Baltimore is represented by Mr. Harry Fisher's family, State's Attorney Charles A. Kort, Hon. William Kimmell, Coloned L. W. Garletter, Major A. B. Hail, Capitain Parket of the Miss Ambitent, Mrs. Union Sincipal and Miss Ambitent, Mrs. Union Sincipal and James Miss May D. Willing, Mr. and James Miss Miss May D. Willing, Mr. and James Methaton and energetic group for the highest and energetic proprietor, is also assisted in his duties by Mr. Maurice W. Lamshort well known in Washington, The mission of the bottel is exceptionally groot, consisting of early been from Albaugh's Opera House.

COLONEL D. H. BATES of Dubuque, lows, &